

LEGISLATURE READY TO QUIT

Fiftieth Illinois General Assembly Clearing Decks for Adjournment Early Sunday.

PASSED MANY GOOD LAWS

(By Associated Press Local Wire.)

Springfield, Ill., June 16.—The house and senate of the fiftieth Illinois general assembly began early today to clear the decks of legislation in a final rushing session to prepare for final adjournment, so far as actual work is concerned, sometime during the early morning hours of Sunday.

After nearly six months of work, the assembly has placed on the statute books scores of laws, most of which become effective July 1.

The administration directed by Governor Lowden, succeeded in getting thru four of the most important measures it advocated; the bill to bring private banks under state control, the administrative code creating nine state departments instead of a hundred boards, the constitutional prohibition referendum, compulsory workmen's compensation. The eight-hour law for women workers, the only measure of consequence advocated by the governor which met defeat, was lost in the closing days.

Liquor Laws Unchanged.
The state liquor laws remain unchanged. Ambitious efforts of both drys and wets to bring about changes met with uniform failure. The statewide prohibition referendum measure met defeat early in the session, as did various bills proposing stricter penalties for liquor law violations and the wets' efforts to relieve the ban on shipments into dry territory.

Many of the laws enacted by this assembly must be approved by the people at referendum elections in 1918 before becoming effective. Among them are:

Vote of People to Decide.
The private banking bill, proposing that all private banks must come under state control before January 1, 1921.

The constitutional convention resolution which puts up to the people the question of calling a convention to revise the state's basic law.

The measure bill proposing issuance of \$50,000,000 worth of bonds to build a 4,000 mile gas pipeline.

War measures occupied no small amount of the assembly's time. Shortly after war was declared the governor secured authorization for appointment of a state council of defense. Bills drawn at the council's suggestion went thru without opposition. These included measures authorizing creation of reserve militia, increasing the pay of soldiers in state service to \$1 a day, placing the solicitation of war relief funds under the council's direction and others of similar import.

Appropriations \$50,000,000.
In round numbers, the appropriation made for operation of the state government during the next two years totaled under \$50,000,000. The governor caused continual pruning in the original appropriation schedule until several millions of dollars had been lopped off the bills which once reached the figure \$52,500,000.

The greater part of this goes to the school fund, University of Illinois and for upkeep of the charitable institutions. The building programs of the university, normal schools and other institutions were in the most instances, abandoned entirely.

Union labor interests failed to get thru their bills proposing curtailment of the right of injunctions in strikes.

Hot Fight Over School Laws.
Much of the assembly's time was occupied with validating accounts. A hot fight on the bills to validate the community high school law and bonds which the supreme court declared constitutional and they finally were successful. A number of road bonds also were validated. Many efforts to amend or repeal the direct primary act were launched but abandoned.

Of the 1,600 bills introduced, approximately 300 passed both houses. The governor exercised his veto power on a number, among them the Canada bill which would have abolished capital punishment for murder.

TO STRENGTHEN THE NERVES
Take Horsford's Acid Phosphate. When nervous, tired or restless, it restores the system and induces refreshing sleep. Buy bottle 1.

EARLVILLE
Earlville, Ill., June 16.—Mrs. Lora A. Baldwin Clark who was born at Rutland, Vt., on the second day of February, 1831, died at Earlville June 12 at the age of 83 years.

She was united in marriage to Chester A. Clark in 1851 at Springfield, Pa. Two sons were born to this union. Frank died at Princeton in 1860 and Frederick died at Columbus, Ohio, in 1903. The husband died in Earlville in 1901.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark came west in 1853 and located at Princeton. In 1867 they came to Earlville and engaged in business and in 1872 retired. Thus for over 50 years Mrs. Clark has been a resident of this city and an occupant of the same residence property.

When a young woman she united with the Congregational church at Princeton. When she moved to Earlville she changed her membership to the Congregational church of this city. In July, 1904, she united with the Methodist Episcopal church here and was an honored and highly esteemed member at the time of her death. Owing to impaired health she has not been able to attend church services for a long time, yet her interest in the church itself never waned, but increased.

The funeral was held at the home in Earlville at 10:30 o'clock this forenoon, services being conducted by the Rev. B. A. Dickens. Interment at Princeton.

Mrs. C. A. Clark spent Tuesday in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson visited in Peru Sunday.

Mrs. Grover Cleveland and children of Herbert are visiting at the Charles Cleveland home.

Wireless Inventor With Italy Mission



SENATOR MARCONI.

Senator Guglielmo Marconi, inventor of the wireless telegraph, is one of the heads of the Italian war mission now in Washington. Senator Marconi, it is reported, has devised some means of destroying German submarines. It is said that he will hold several conferences with Thomas A. Edison regarding his invention. This photograph of Senator Marconi was made as he left the state department at Washington after a visit to Secretary of State Lansing.

Social Chatter

Frank H. Riddle, who was operated on for appendicitis at the Aurora hospital about three weeks ago is sufficiently improved to be removed to his home in North Avenue and is gaining in strength.

Musical program by the choir at New England church, Sunday evening at 7:30. Dudley Buck's "Forty-six Psalm" will be rendered.

Miss Belle McGuire of Seattle, Wash., who is spending the summer with her sister, Mrs. O. F. Breece, in Spring street, is improving in health.

Ritchie, the Impersonator, tomorrow night, First Methodist. Herman O'May will play a trombone solo.

Miss Nancy J. Tenney of New York street has returned from a business trip thru Wisconsin.

Mrs. Homer Webb of New York street is ill at her home.

George Johnson of New York street is making a business trip thru Illinois.

J. W. Meyer of South Anderson street is recovering from a very severe cold.

Miss Bessie Farrell of Elgin, who has been visiting relatives here the past few days, has returned to her home.

Ernest Ehrhardt who recently underwent an operation at St. Charles hospital is getting along nicely.

N. M. McGhie of Warrenville was operated upon yesterday at St. Charles hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Belden, who have been here from Portsmouth, N. H., plan to start for their home tomorrow. They came west in their auto.

Miss Jean Miller of Chicago is here spending the week-end with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cronier, who have been in northern Wisconsin on a fishing trip, are expected to return to their home Monday.

CHICAGO GIRL AWARDED FRENCH LEGION CROSS

(By Associated Press Local Wire.)
Paris, June 16.—Miss Grace Gasette of Chicago, an artist and well known resident of the Latin quarter, has been decorated with the cross of the Legion of Honor for services in the French hospital organization. She invented appliances for the treatment of difficult fractures.

HALT SWISS PEACE MOVE

Berne, via Paris, June 16.—Following the action of the national and state councils the federal council has decided to disregard various petitions praying it to take the initiative in proposing peace to the belligerents. The federal body decided that Switzerland was not in a position at the present to offer mediation with any chance of success.

Beacon-News want ads introduce you to buyers, sellers, tenants, landlords, employers, employees, etc.

PIN THIS UPON WIFE'S DRESSER

Warns women against cutting corns and says they lift right out.

Because style decrees that women crowd and buckle up their tender toes in high heel footwear they suffer from corns, then they cut and trim at these painful pests which merely makes the corn grow hard. This suicidal habit may cause lockjaw and women are warned to stop it.

A few drops of a drug called freesoze applied directly upon a sore corn sizes quick relief and soon the entire corn, root and all, lifts out without pain. Ask the drug store man for a quarter of an ounce of freesoze, which costs very little but is sufficient to remove every hard or soft corn or callus from one's feet.

This drug is gummy but it dries in a moment and simply shrivels up the corn without inflaming or even irritating the surrounding tissue or skin.

Advertisement.

RUSSIA DELICATE PROBLEM FOR U. S.

Continued Demand of Workmen's Council for Peace Term Makes Root Mission Cautious.

Peasantry Nearly Unanimously Votes to Press the War on Germany—Soldiers in Minority.

(By Associated Press Local Wire.)
Washington, D. C., June 16.—Russia has become the pre-occupying question at the state department with the approach of the Russian mission to Washington, the hesitating negotiations by the American commission to Russia in Petrograd, and the continued reiteration of the demand of the Council of Soldiers and Workmen's Delegates for a statement of allied peace terms. In the shifting tangle of Russian politics, the official find trouble, it is arriving at the trend of the situation and are eagerly grasping at all information.

Recent reports indicate that the Council of Soldiers and Workmen's Delegates is now dominating a factor in the Russian situation. The council is not over 5,000,000 people of Russia's 150,000,000. The council is confined very largely to the industrial centers, whose vote is always the first heard and the loudest.

Peasantry Favors War.
The reports coming to the state department, comprise the vast majority of the population and have voted overwhelmingly in favor of a vigorous prosecution of the war. They have not as yet shown the slightest sympathy with the radicals. The one exception is the fact that the final establishment of local self government which they feel is directly due to the present leaders and which they fear might be lost by any change.

Moreover, the businessmen of Russia, it is pointed out, have recently voted practically unanimously in favor of the war. The Russian mission may find a way to reach the Russian radical by its presence on the spot.

Mr. Root is expected to proceed very slowly and cautiously and no decisive word is expected from him for some days.

STAMP OF RELIABILITY ON USED-CAR SHOW

TRADE ASSOCIATION STANDS BEHIND DISPLAY IN ARMORY
JUNE 22, 23, 24.

Next Thursday in the armory the Aurora Automobile Trade Association's first venture will be opened—the used car show—and it will continue until Saturday, June 23.

This is the first show of this nature ever scheduled for Aurora, in fact the second used car show ever held in this city. The only exposition of this kind that has the sanction of the Chicago Automobile Trade Association. There are about fifteen members of the local trade association in the list of space purchasers for the show—enough to guarantee that cars of all kinds on display in Aurora showrooms will be exhibited at the armory and sold during the period of the show.

It is the purpose of the Aurora Automobile Trade Association to maintain the standard to such a high degree that the display of cars will attract buyers from surrounding towns as well as those in this city.

A surprising amount of latest model cars which have seen some service are listed for exhibition and sale at extremely low prices. Work has already been commenced to make every used car mechanically fit before it is placed on exhibition. Most of the cars will be refinished and appear like new.

Societies and Clubs

Saturday.
Special meeting of Jerusalem temple lodge No. 59, A. P. & A. M., Saturday evening, June 16, at 7 o'clock, for important business. Officers and members of Dearborn lodge No. 310 of Chicago will be present and exemplify the work. Master Masons are cordially invited.—Warren H. Mitchell, Master; E. H. Cooley, Sec.

Monday.
Holy Angels Court of Foresters, Regular meeting Monday, June 18, at 8 p. m. All members are requested to attend.—Recording Secretary.

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In the Motion Picture World



LILLIAN WALKER
"SALLY IN A HURRY"

Movie Notes

Lawrence South, director of the Big V comedies, has been having his troubles with the Brooklyn police and he attributes it to the fact that eastern "comers" are not educated up to motion picture work as well as those of Los Angeles. South & Co., which is headed by James Aubrey, landed in the east, his plan being to turn out to Big V in as many weeks. It took him eight weeks to complete three pictures from police stations. His leading man was arrested three times, once for merely treading on a private lawn. South is signing for helpful cops of Los Angeles, who protect the picture folk from curious crowds when they are busy taking street scenes or otherwise "shooting" the landscape.

"Why you can't even shoot a fire-cracker in the Brooklyn streets," said South, summing up his indictment against the unsympathetic bluecoats.

Reggie Lyons, cameraman, has a chill every time the word "realism" is mentioned in his hearing. Not long ago Reggie and his family went to a picture show and he was delighted by the realistic manner in which a girl burglar donned a hood of invisibility. When he returned home he found that some realistic burglary had taken place there, too, and he at a "realism" became bad friends at once.

Volva Vale, Kipling, Emerson and biscuits that Volva Vale makes, have all been past into hopeless confusion by one, Gerald C. Duffy, editor of Picture-Play magazine. Mr. Kipling was wrongly quoted as saying something about somebody's making a better home than the world would make a highway to his door. The simile was used in the case of Volva Vale and her biscuits, said biscuits bringing a number of film folks to Volva's ocean home at Long Beach every Sunday afternoon. But Mr. Duffy objects. Not to the biscuits, however, nor to Volva. He knows and likes Volva, the confessor he has never sampled a Volva-made biscuit. What he does object to, however, is crediting Kipling with the above quotation, and hesitates at giving even Mr. Emerson credit.

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MRS. D. J. McDONALD GETS STOCK FARM

Sheriff's Deed Paid Off—Mortgages Against the Place Approximately \$65,000.

A sheriff's deed to the D. J. McDonald stock farm in Galena road held by C. H. Eekles of Kendall county was paid off yesterday by Mrs. D. J. McDonald who now has title to the place. There are two mortgages on the property approximately \$65,000, one being for \$51,000 which is held by the Brethren Publishing company of Elgin.

The late Mr. McDonald left his property to Mrs. McDonald but it was heavily encumbered. The farm in Galena road approximately 310 acres and is rated one of the best pieces of property of the kind in this part of the country.

Attorney John C. Murphy, who put thru the deed by which Mrs. McDonald paid off the sheriff's deed, says that an offer of \$80,000 has been made for the Galena road farm. This the fine brick house was burned. Eight thousand dollars' insurance was collected upon this building. The walls still stand in part. Mrs. McDonald is now living in Chicago with her daughter, Mrs. Charles Foley.

CIRCUIT COURT.
Current Docket Entries.

E. J. & E. E. vs. Cliff Patterson; appeal.

Same vs. Arthur Lind; same.

Alma Schneider vs. William Schneider; bill for divorce.

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CALL MEETING TO FORM HOME GUARDS

Military Organization to Take Place of Aurora Militia Planned When Boys Go.

All Interested Asked to Be at Navy League Headquarters on Monday Evening.

A meeting will be held in the naval recruiting station at 16 South Broadway next Monday evening for the purpose of organizing the home guards. Officers will be elected and the work of organization be gotten under way at once.

Over-Draft Are Men Sought.
The purpose of the home guards is to take the place of the regular militia when they are called into federal service. Those subject to draft cannot join the guards. The time spent in drilling members in the handling of a gun and the manual of arms would be lost to draft subjects, as far as their usefulness in the local organization is concerned.

Under or over draft age, of those who have been rejected for national service, are urged to be present at the meeting Monday night. The formation of the home guards has been in charge of the United Spanish War veterans.

Former Ald. Archie Sylvester, a veteran of the Spanish-American war, in all probability will be chosen as captain of the guard.
John Cheney, who has been active in the preliminary work to organize the guards, has offered his services to the government and expects to be called into active service. He is a member of the United Spanish War veterans and commanders of the Aurora chapter.

GIRLS GIVE PLAY

The girls in the graduating class of St. Joseph's church school gave a play yesterday afternoon entitled, "Queen by the Grace of God." Miss Olga Daleiden took the part of the queen in an admirable manner and the entire cast did well.

In addition to the play a Chinese umbrella drill was given and there were songs by the lower grades. The program will be repeated tomorrow evening at the commencement exercises.

Teddy Greets Trainmen.—When Col. Theodore Roosevelt arrived in Chicago yesterday afternoon after passing through Aurora at 1:45 on the Burlington railroad, cries of "Three cheers for Teddy," echoed thru the big Union station. Although there were not many persons on hand to meet Roosevelt, because they did not know he was coming, he was soon recognized in the crowd getting off the train and the cheering soon began. As "Teddy" left his coach he passed the engine in the train shed and reaching up grasped the hand of Engineer C. A. Johnson and Conductor Mollin of Galena and both men graciously thanked them for bringing him thru safely and on time. As he passed along Roosevelt slapped the baggage men on the back and spoke to them.

Sued Wrong Party.—Justice W. C. Helas yesterday gave judgment in favor of J. J. Rubens who was sued for \$100 by the Federal Sign system company of Chicago. The sign was bought by Rubens for the American Theater company at Davenport, Iowa. The company was responsible for payment, not Mr. Rubens, the justice held.

Social Chatter

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Wood of Main street is recovering from a complication of childhood diseases, having been seriously ill and under the care of Mrs. Marian Hatch of Plainfield for the past four weeks.

Dance and social entertainment given by St. Henry's branch No. 117, on Tuesday evening, June 19, at their hall in Big Woods.

Mrs. George Davidson and sons, John and Donald, of 236 Galena boulevard left today for Toronto, Canada, and other points in the east.

Carl Sacken of Superior street, who was operated on Monday at the St. Charles hospital, is getting along nicely.

Mrs. Otto Bogren of Geneva is visiting with her mother, Mrs. B. L. Iverson, of Downer place.

Miss Hulda Kuma of Rock Falls is spending a short vacation with former schoolmates in this city.

P. R. Wasmann, United States deputy sheriff of Cheyenne, Wyoming, returned to his home in that city after spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lamb of 44 South State street.

Miss Luella Wolf, who recently underwent an operation and spent time at the Aurora hospital, returned to her home in Seminary avenue yesterday.

Societies and Clubs

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The Hawthorne club will meet Monday afternoon, June 18, at the home of Mrs. A. J. Hobbs, Walnut and May streets.

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He Has Been Sold To Highest Bidder



FRANK MC GINTY.

Frank McGinty, health inspector of Hoboken, N. J., who has offered to marry the girl giving the largest sum to the fund for the comfort of New Jersey's soldiers. The fund has now reached the \$4,000 mark but McGinty has not made public the name of the fair maiden making the highest contribution.

RIVER ST. MERCHANTS RUN UP BIG FLAG

Patriotic River street merchants this morning raised a flag over the west side business thoroughfare. The flag was purchased by popular subscription.

It was planned that all River street merchants be solicited for contributions toward the purchase of the banner. When about 10 of the merchants had subscribed, it was decided to purchase the flag immediately. Headed by J. C. Schmitt, the delegation suspended the Stars and Stripes midway of the block between Downer place and Galena boulevard at 10 o'clock this morning.

Nineteen feet in length the banner presents an impressive sight, suspended on a wire and draping gracefully down so as to clear the roadway by a few inches. It was being passed thru the street today stopped to gaze at the beautiful emblem and commend the spirit of the merchants.

It is expected that about twenty-five will donate towards the cost of the flag, some of whom have not yet been solicited.

"GERMANS MUST NOT LOSE NERVE TO WIN"—VON TIRPITZ

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.)
Copenhagen, June 16, via London.—Admiral Von Tirpitz and Field Marshal Von Hindenburg have replied approvingly to telegrams of greeting from the Pan-German committee for a German peace at Essen. Von Tirpitz replied:

"The submarines will reach their goal if we at home retain our nerve." Von Hindenburg, who misses no opportunity to answer telegrams from meetings arranged by the Junker committee, also is openly in opposition to Chancellor Von Bethmann-Hollweg, responded on this occasion with assurances that a complete victory and a peace worthy of Germany's sacrifices and securing the prosperity and growth of the country are within reach if the struggle is continued manfully."

JAP DESTROYER HIT

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.)
Tokio, June 16.—While Japanese destroyers were attacking a submarine in the Mediterranean June 11, the destroyer Sakaki was torpedoed and damaged, says an official announcement of the Japanese admiralty today. The damaged craft was towed to port. It is believed many of the crew were killed or wounded.

Obituary

Joseph Wilson.
Joseph Wilson, 57 years of age, wealthy retired farmer of Sugar Grove, died suddenly at his home there last night at 6:20 o'clock after a brief illness.

Deceased was born in Sugar Grove and had spent most of his life there on his farm. Of late years he had given up the more arduous duties of farm life.

Two brothers survive him, William W. of Sugar Grove and Jesse Wilson of Wray, Colo. Funeral services will be conducted at the late home Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock and at 2:30 from the Sugar Grove Methodist Episcopal church, the Reverend Mr. Hewitt officiating. Interment will be in the Sugar Grove cemetery.

WEST HIGH ALUMNI CHEERS SOLDIERS

Patriotism Marks Annual Gathering of School Graduates Held Last Evening.

Prof. Freeman Arouses Enthusiasm, Praising Student and Teacher Recruits.

The Stars and Stripes, "My Country 'Tis of Thee" and patriotism generally marked the annual meeting of the West High Alumni association last evening, held in the assembly room of the West High school building.

The room was handsomely decorated with the national colors, quantities of flags draping the walls and the piano. President Charles Harkins, solidly and bronzed, led the singing of the national hymn in style and if some there were who murmured "tum tum" in lieu of the proper text of the hymn, who was to know, for Miss Mary Clayton, accompanist, covered all defects.

The address of the evening made by J. H. Freeman, past commander of Post 20, G. A. R., civil war veteran, and beloved ex-superintendent of West Aurora schools, who dwelt upon the fact that the best in nature is fostered by the correct high school teaching and that included in this "best" is the patriotism which has been so manifested by the West High teachers and pupils who are already at the front. "All honor to those men and boys," said he, which speaker dwelt with feeling upon the happy days when he formed the friendships with former West High pupils, which have endured to this day. That those days were growth periods in West Aurora schools is fully realized by the veteran superintendent who interspersed his pleasant talk with a number of amusing stories, not forgetting the remarkable achievement 31 years ago of "Capt. Charles Harkins" who at the first regular industrial exhibition of the school, displayed a spanking machine which he was able to explain at length.

Professor Freeman uttered words of praise for all Aurora which has exhibited so patriotic a spirit in its purchase of liberty bonds. This man, who as a boyish soldier, passed thru the civil war, closed with a strong hope for the peace which will mean an opportunity for all nations upon the earth.

Mrs. Merrick Sings.
Mrs. Kenneth C. Merrick, wife of the retiring high school principal, pleased her listeners with her sweet voice, singing Testi's "La Serenata," responding to an encore, Miss Gertrude Kennedy playing the accompaniment. Miss Frances Dannewitz and Mrs. LeRoy Stephens (Katherine) sang a duet so well as to be called to sing again, accompanied by Miss Melita Kerner, who sang an attractive part of the program was the nice, sincere little talk given by Arthur Young, president of the 1917 class, and this class closed the program with the class song.

The following officers were appointed for the coming year:
President—William V. Slaker.
Vice president—John Littey.
Secretary—Miss Gertrude Kennedy.
Board of control—Mrs. F. J. Knight, Miss Minnie Kling, Miss Louise Florence, Samuel Lilly and Donald De Frates.

A departure was made in that an additional committee was appointed to assist in ascertaining the whereabouts of the absentees among the former graduates. This committee consists of Mrs. M. J. Tarble, Mrs. Joseph Cresco, Miss Frances Dannewitz and Miss Mary Adams.

Girls Serve Refreshments.
Refreshments were served from a large table in the entrance hall, in charge of Mrs. D. J. Peppers Jr., with a corps of young girl assistants. The feature of the evening for the older graduates was the "hall of fame" in one of the class rooms, the walls of which were covered with photographs, singly and in groups, of teachers and pupils of West High from the first class to the present time.

Congressman I. C. Copley as a boy of 17, school board member, W. S. Frazier, former teacher, Mrs. A. S. Hopkins and Mrs. Ella Carlisle, and dozens of others were displayed in pristine beauty, with really beautiful photographs of the late A. V. Greenman and Frank H. Hall, former superintendents.

Then in the gymnasium was dancing for the young people to the music of the Fitzgerald orchestra.

OSWEGO PLAYS ELGIN

The Oswego baseball club will play the fast Elgin Athletics on the Oswego grounds tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Elgin has one of the strongest semi-pro clubs in this section. Either Gates or Leigh will twirl for Oswego.

POTATO CROP ESCAPES MIDDLE OF JUNE FROST

The potato crop narrowly missed a premature death last night when a frost settled over the territory around Aurora.

The air was brisk and cold and overcasts were popular. It got down to 35 above during the night.

POLICE SAY CHILDREN ACCUSE THEIR FATHER

Alfred Russell, 34 years old, was arrested last night by Patrolman Roy Bong on complaint of Mrs. Mary Dwyer, proprietor of the Hotel Arlington. Russell's children have made a serious charge against him, the police say. He is to be given a hearing before Police Magistrate Barlow, this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

YORKVILLE GUARDS TO MEET

The home guards of Yorkville will have the first regular meeting in the town hall Monday evening. Capt. Charles Harkins of Aurora will drill the men. There are 100 in the company.

News in Brief

Aurora Plans Western Trip.—Aurora excursionists planning summer trips have been asking for information at the ticket offices of the Burlington for the past two days. Indications point to a large number of Aurora people spending vacations in the west, it was said at the local Burlington office this morning. Yesterday was the first day of the Burlington's new rates to the Pacific coast and California. Rates this summer compare favorably with those in past years, it is said.

Godfrey, the Photographer.—Has a large number of folders suitable for graduates reasonably priced. Costs nothing to investigate.

Eggs High in City Market.—Eggs at the city market in North River street sold at a higher price than they did in most of the grocery stores, J. A. Manning, marketmaster, reported. The farmers and peddlers at the mart asked 37 cents while in most of the stores the price was 33 and 34 cents. No. 2 potatoes brought 95 cents and \$1 a peck. There were 18 wagons in the market.

Dance Tonight.—Zouave hall.

Asks Churches to Aid Parade.—John Peppers, secretary of the Aurora Commercial Club today asked that ministers and priests in all of the churches here tomorrow ask in their sermons tomorrow that their parishioners take part in the parade July 4. Some of the churches last Sunday the clergymen asked that all of their people join in the line of march.

Don't Sing.—The musical program at the New England church Sunday evening, 7:30 o'clock, Dudley Buck's "46th Psalm" by the choir.

Arrested on Q. C. Complaint.—Charles Mitchell, 36 years old, a stationary engineer who has been employed on the Burlington railroad track elevation work, was arrested today by Patrolman Roy Bong on complaint of railroad officials. It is charged that Mitchell, while intoxicated yesterday afternoon, threatened the life of his foreman. The hearing is set for this evening at 7:30 o'clock before Police Magistrate Barlow.

Fried.—Chicken dinner at the North Shore Inn tomorrow.

Registration Cards Ready.—City Clerk Frank Greenman has the registration cards for the coming year ready but has not received the instructions as to what to do with them. In the original instructions clerks were notified to have three typewritten copies made of the cards and hold them for further instructions. It is probable the cards will be sent to Springfield next week and forwarded from there to the war department at Washington.

Churning Damage Small.—Lester Hawkins, 27 years old, churned in a mixer yesterday, left the concrete mixer at the street corner, Hawkins, employed as a laborer on the paving work in Farnsworth avenue, was inside the mixer when Peter Weber, started the engine, not knowing Hawkins was inside.

Taken as Speeder.—A W. White was arrested last night by Motorcyclist Compton on a charge of speeding. He gave a cash bail to appear at 7:30 o'clock this evening before Police Magistrate Barlow. The police have no record of White's address.

Get Auto Robbed.—Sneak thieves who have been selecting automobile owners as their victims are again active in Aurora. At the circus grounds Thursday night a number of robes were stolen. Second hand stores and pawn shops are being searched but no trace of the robes has been found.

To Police Convention.—The Aurora police department will send four delegates to the state convention of the Illinois Policemen's Association, which will be held at Springfield June 20. Delegates from Aurora are Sgt. Fred Hess, Detective L. P. Cooley, Chauffeur Mat Wells and Patrolman Beales. The Aurora delegation will leave Tuesday night.

Sued for Divorce.—Henning Christensen, 51 years old, was served last night with the summons in a divorce suit filed by his wife in Chicago. He has been rooming at 291 Rosewood avenue. Deputy Sheriff Orr served the papers. Christensen is a carpenter. The charge is desertion.

Oak Park Ready to Plainfield.—The Oak Park Commercial association, which has held its annual picnic at Fox River park every summer when the merchants of that city would bring no less than 1,000 people, will hold its annual picnic this year at Electric park, Plainfield, July 12 is the date. The excursionists will come over the third rail by way of Aurora and will transfer here over the Aurora, Plainfield & Joliet line.

Open New Luxembourg Club.—The new Luxembourg club house in High street will be opened for the inspection of the public tomorrow afternoon. Members of the club will be on hand to usher visitors thru the new building. The building was dedicated last Sunday by members of the organization and their families.

SPECIAL PROGRAMS IN CITY CHURCHES

The Rev. E. M. Haymaker of Guatemala Speaks at First Presbyterian in Morning.

At First Baptist in Evening—G. M. Ritchie, Reader, at First M. E. at 7:30 P. M.

Special services, including addresses and number by several speakers of national and international note, will feature the exercises at a number of the Aurora churches Sunday morning and evening.

The Rev. E. M. Haymaker of Guatemala will deliver an address Sunday morning at the First Presbyterian church. Dr. Haymaker spends part of each year in the Central American republic and is entirely familiar with political conditions there, this being the theme of his address. Dr. E. H. Montgomery, the pastor, will preach Sunday evening on "The Spiritualism of Jesus." Miss Edda Mae Gibson will sing "The Ninety and Nine," by Campion.

At the First Baptist church Dr. Haymaker will speak on "Guatemala" Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock. There will be a special musical number. The public is cordially invited. The pastor, Dr. E. H. Claxon will take for his regular Sunday morning sermon theme, "The Universal Limitation." G. M. Ritchie, who takes rank among the great impersonators of the United States, will give a program Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the First M. E. church. Master Herman O'May of Freeport, son of the former pastor will render a trombone solo, "The Palms." The Rev. Charles J. Brady, the pastor, will give the regular morning sermon and administer the third quarterly communion at the usual hour. Sunday school at noon. Epworth league meeting at 6:30 p. m. Master O'May will render "The Holy City" at the morning service.

United Presbyterian Services.
The United Presbyterian church, under the leadership of its pastor, the Rev. T. H. McBain, has begun a campaign to raise \$1,000 for church improvements. The new South Lake street edifice, including a new roof, new plumbing, electric lighting system to replace the gas lighting, and other improvements all friends of the church are asked to assist.

The church will give its annual Children's day program Sunday morning at which all are invited. The program is as follows:
March and song.
Primary Department.
Processional. Young Ladies' Class.
Opening song. School Prayer.

"Happy Rose Girls." Fleming's Class.
Beginners' exercise.
Recitation. "A Beautiful Day."
Recitation. "The Sunday School Family."
Recitation. "The Whole Armor," exercise and song.
Recitation. "Where's My Marianne?"
Solo. "If I Were a Sunbeam."
Solo. "I'm a Marionette."
Solo. "We Would Be Like the Flowers."

Recitation. "On Children's Day." "Looking on the Bright Side."
John Willis and Frank McCannan.
Recitation. "The Lamb of the Flock," exercise and song.
Recitation. "Do Your Best."
Song. "Jesus Wants Me for a Sunbeam."
Lyle and Clifford Retterer.
Recitation. "A Brave Boy."

Recitation. "What Kind of a Soldier Are You?" Sherman Goodell.
Song. "A Wreath of Roses."
Recitation. "Mrs. McCannan's Class."
Recitation. "Working Together With Him."
Song. "Alvin and Elmer Blume."
Address. By Pastor.
America.
Audience.
Evening sermon. "Life Plans."

Red Cross Night.
Dr. E. W. Lounsbury, pastor of the Park Place Baptist church has arranged a Red Cross patriotic program for Sunday evening at that church. Mrs. J. H. Bliss and Henry B. Adams, safety first agent for the A. E. & C. railroad, will tell of the work of the great organization for humanity. Sunday morning the annual Children's day program will be given.

At the Galena Boulevard M. E. church the pastor's morning sermon theme will be "A Faith That Keeps." In the evening he will speak on "It Was Night."

At the Marion Avenue Baptist church the pastor will speak in the morning on "The Faith That Keeps." In the evening he will speak on "It Was Night."

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DEAD M. E. PASTORS TO BE REMEMBERED

Annual Memorial for Deceased Ministers Will Be Held at Cemeteries Sunday P. M.

Will Strew Flowers on Graves and Hold Brief Services at Two of City Cemeteries.

According to a custom recently established, the Methodist Episcopal churches of the city will visit the graves of their former pastors buried in Aurora cemeteries, Sunday afternoon, holding annual memorial services.

At the Spring Lake cemetery brief memorial services will be held at 4 o'clock and at the West Aurora cemetery at 4 o'clock a like service will be held. The graves will be decorated with flowers.

Families of deceased invited. Families or relatives of the deceased ministers are particularly invited to take part and any families of the Methodist churches of the city who wish to decorate the graves of their dead at this time are asked to do so. Twelve ministers are buried in Aurora cemeteries and two at the Oswego cemetery where services will be held at 5 o'clock Sunday.

HILL-RAUSCH
The marriage of Miss Mary Rausch, daughter of Mrs. N. S. Rausch of Mitchell road, to Henry Hill, also of Aurora, took place at St. Joseph church Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock.

The bride wore crepe de chine. Her veil was caught with a beaded band of pearls and she carried a shower bouquet of roses and lilies of the valley. She wore a pearl necklace a gift of the groom.

Her bridesmaid was Miss Agnes Hill, who carried pink roses. Mr. and Mrs. Hill have gone to Yellowstone Park and upon their return will reside with the bride's mother. The groom's parents and the bride's mother each presented the young people a purse of gold. The bride has been much entertained prior to her marriage.

A wedding luncheon was served later at the home of the bride's mother. The table was arranged in pink and white roses. Mr. and Mrs. Hill have gone to Yellowstone Park and upon their return will reside with the bride's mother. The groom's parents and the bride's mother each presented the young people a purse of gold. The bride has been much entertained prior to her marriage.

TO DEDICATE CHIMES

The chimes in the new St. Michael's Catholic church, corner of Pierce street and North Lincoln avenue, will be dedicated tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. The three bells were installed yesterday.

It was planned to have Bishop F. J. Muldoon of the Rockford diocese, come here for the services but the Rev. John P. pastor of the local church, has received word that the bishop is ill and will not be able to come.

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IS ATTRACTIVE COMMUNITY

A model town, in many respects one of the most interesting of the recent practical solutions of a problem involving homes for workmen in connection with an industrial plant, is now rising on the banks of the Juniata river opposite Mount Union, Sullivan county, Pennsylvania. The plans provide for the erection of about one hundred houses at the present time, to be let at about \$10 a month. These are arranged in a studied composition on a carefully planned acreage, in which provision is made for a four-acre playground, a riverside park, reclaiming land now frequently flooded, an attractive railroad approach facing a community green of one and one-half acres, and ample grounds for various public and semi-public buildings. The latter include a community house developed from an old building on the site, two churches, and a public school.

The area planned is triangular in shape. The Juniata river forms one side, the tracks of the railroad the other. Three main roads are laid out, converging at the apex of the triangle. Rectangular blocks bordered by streets, in some cases open to pedestrian traffic only, provide sites for the small homes on relatively small lots. Each lot, 40x100 feet, is to have a few fruit trees, and some will be large enough for truck gardening. The two terraces, one on each side of the river, are planned on the principle of the first bordering the river, the second on rising ground extending up to the bordering railroad tracks. About one and one-half acres of land will be set aside in the central section of the village for business. The village center will include the railroad station, the community hall and the store district. Everything possible will be done to insure diversity in the design of the houses, for which six designs have been provided, three of which are detached types. Each family has its own room and bath and piazzas. In locating the houses on the lots and selecting the house design for the lots, the appearance of the street has been kept in mind. The arrangements of the houses then will not be uniform. The property is owned and is being developed by the Mount Union Realty company, prosperous and scientific manufacturers of brick, whose plant is located across the Juniata river. The town plan was evolved by John Nolen, landscape architect of Cambridge and the architectural work on the houses, stores and other buildings is in charge of Mann & MacNeller, architects of New York city. The town will be known as Kistler Industrial Village.

ELBURN

Elburn, Ill. June 16.—The members of the graduating class and the high school teachers, were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lilliquette Saturday night. Mrs. Kistler also assisted. At 8 o'clock the party was treated to a musical play in the opera house. A jolly time was reported by all present.

Hilgard Hanson was at Geneva Wednesday.

Miss Freeman visited friends in Geneva Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilkey attended the circus at Aurora Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Rowe were Chicago shoppers Wednesday.

Miss Simber and Aurora were business callers here Thursday.

Mrs. Crosby and son James were Chicago shoppers Tuesday.

Harry Cline was a West Chicago business caller Wednesday.

Doctor Wehman and son Abel were Geneva callers Wednesday.

Miss Anna Johnson was visiting friends in Geneva Thursday.

Miss Miriam Anderson was visiting friends in Geneva Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Smith were visiting relatives at Aurora Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Hasenauer visited Thursday with relatives in Rochelle.

Elizabeth Smith is visiting a few days this week with relatives in Sycamore.

Mrs. Herman Meyers and daughter Ella Mae visited relatives in Sycamore Thursday.

Mrs. E. Hoyt, daughter Helen and son Harvey were Aurora shoppers Thursday.

Dr. Hugh McNair of Kalamazoo, Mich., was the guest of Elburn relatives Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. Ercanbrack are having a few days' outing this week at Platteville bay.

The Rev. and Mrs. Kern and daughter of Sandwich visited Monday with Elburn friends.

Mrs. Mike Keenan attended the domestic science meeting in LaFox Thursday afternoon.

Robert Garfield returned to Chicago Thursday after several weeks' visit with relatives here.

Mrs. J. E. Morrell and daughter both and Miss Emily Downing motored to Geneva Thursday.

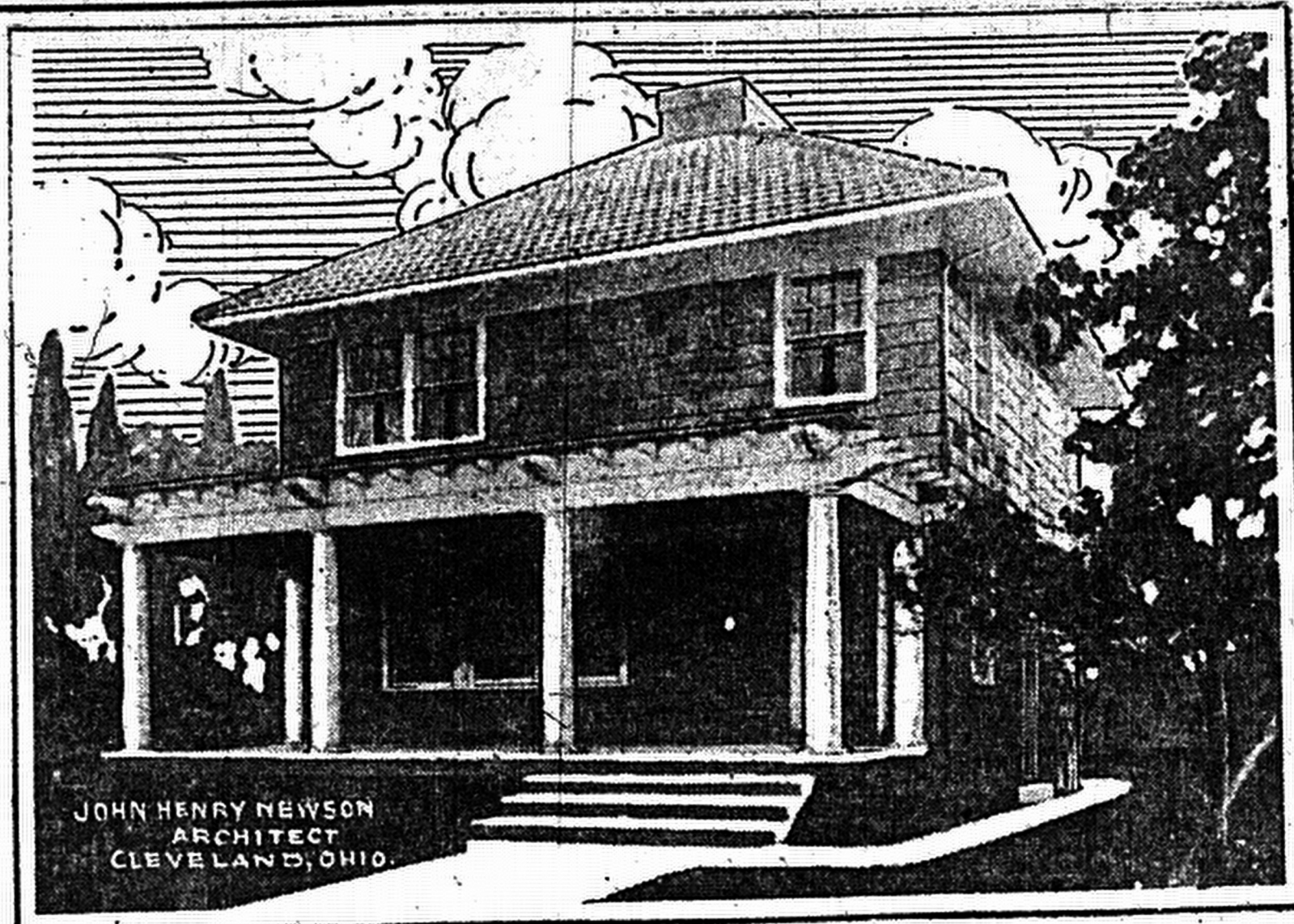
Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Reeves, Mrs. H. P. Kelley and Miss Belle Washburn were Chicago visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nola Rasmussen of Oregon, Ill., are visiting a few days this week with Elburn relatives.

The Women's Missionary society of the Congregational church met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. David Bateman.

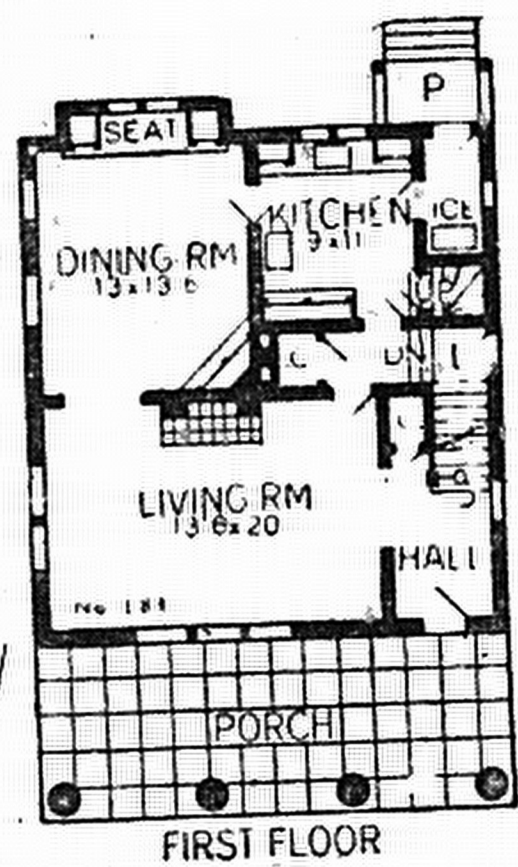
Ira Johnson returned Thursday to his home in Aurora after visiting several days here with his sister, Mrs. George King.

"HOMES OF CHARACTER"



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A very unusual combination of large shingles on the side walls and tile on the roof is used on this design. Otherwise the exterior and plan are very similar to our No. 175, except that the porch is placed across the front, the vestibule is omitted and kitchen and refrigerator room are contained within the square of the house.



BIG ROCK

Big Rock, Ill. June 16.—The paper collecting committee of the Farther Light society desires that all who have no means of sending or taking papers to the town of Big Rock, please call Mrs. Evans, chairman, and a means will be provided.

Ralph Shaw was in Chicago Thursday.

Mrs. Calvin Bowers is on the sick list.

The Banker school held its picnic Tuesday.

Mrs. Seger and Ruth spent Friday in Aurora.

Work has commenced on the new brick garage.

Ralph Shaw went to Ottawa on business Wednesday.

Another carload of brick for the garage came Wednesday.

The church service in the Baptist church Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Obed Nichols have a baby daughter, born June 10.

J. C. Whitlin has been ill for some time following a severe cold.

Mrs. Clara Judy returned to her home in Aurora Friday morning.

Mrs. Mary Whitlin of Aurora visited at Richard Michael's Tuesday.

Helen Strick of Sycamore is visiting her sister, Mrs. Hannah Close.

Miss Dora Williams is visiting the Scheider sisters at Elgin this week.

The children of the Baptist Sunday school will give their children's day exercises Sunday evening.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Judd are worried that they do not rain more rapidly in their siege of typhoid fever.

Miss Myrtle Waterman is at home from a week's stay with Hincley friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Jeter rejoice over the arrival of a baby daughter June 12.

Waverly Nelson graduated from East Aurora high school Thursday evening.

Richard Thomas, who has been a sufferer with tonsillitis, is now much improved.

The Baptist Sunday school will give a children's day program Sunday evening to which the public is invited.

Nearly everybody went to Aurora Thursday to see the circus parade and a good many stayed for the circus.

Mrs. Dinah Whitlin, son Delbert, Mrs. Rosa Whitehouse and Mrs. Queen of Austin called at the Elburn Whitlin home Tuesday.

The Farther Light society will hold its picnic June 27 in the A. W. Davis woods. Members are asked not to forget to bring dishes.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Severance, two children of Evanston and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Severance of Hincley called at the home of Mrs. Jane Close Sunday.

The Misses May Lash and Nellie Hughes and the Messrs. Henry Lash and Clarence Hunt attended the band concert at Hincley Wednesday evening.

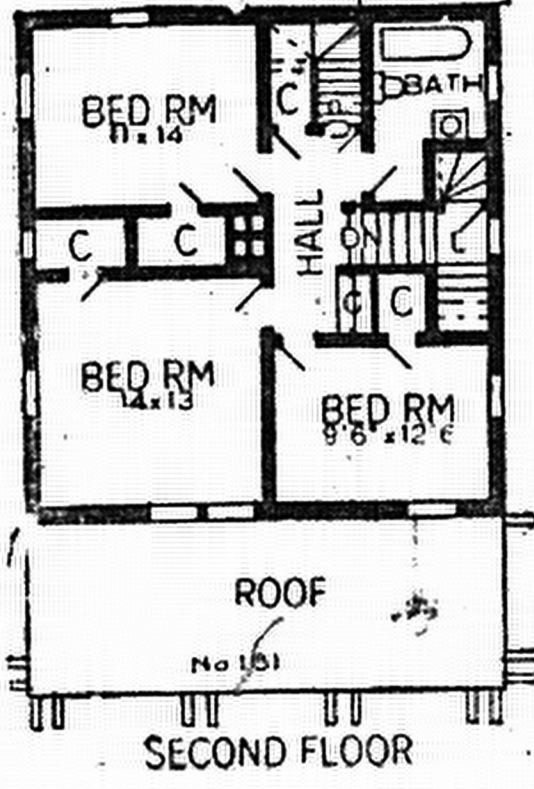
The Ladies' Aid society will hold its June meeting at the home of Mrs. Levi Evans Tuesday, June 19. The regular meeting was to have been held this Wednesday, but due to the weather was postponed.

The Royal Neighbors of Big Rock planned a picnic to celebrate the

Three bedrooms and bath occupy the second floor, and a maid's room is located on the third floor.

The living room, hall and dining room are finished in oak, stained brown and waxed. The kitchen is in yellow pine and bedrooms in white enamel with birch doors stained mahogany. The floors except kitchen are oak, waxed and polished. The bathroom floor is tiled, with tile core base and walls finished in cement.

A square design of this type is economical to build and all lines being carried in one chimney also reduces the cost.



SECOND FLOOR

twentieth anniversary June 9. The disagreeable weather made it very unpleasant in the woods so the day was spent at the home of Mrs. Joel Wagner.

The "Tom Thumb Wedding" or Marriage of the Midgets promises a hundred laughs in a hundred minutes. This play is to be given by the little folks under the auspices of the Ladies Aid society of the Baptist church June 22.

There will be a Red Cross meeting in the town hall, Tuesday, evening next. Officers will be elected, a day chosen for regular meetings and other business transacted. It is hoped every member and all other interested people will be present.

The many friends of the Reverend Mr. Hagness are interested to learn that he received the degree of D. D. of the University of Chicago at the commencement exercises this week.

He has completed the four year course. Mrs. Hagness is spending the week in Chicago.

Theodore Houghton of Sandwich died at his home Tuesday afternoon.

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The Royal Neighbors of Big Rock planned a picnic to celebrate the

FRANCE TO BUY MATERIAL HERE FOR NEW BUILDINGS

Building operations thruout the country continue with but little abatement, the first efforts of this year showing a loss of only a fraction of one percent as compared to 1916, while 1916 displayed a gain over 1915. Hoggson Bros., the New York and Chicago builders, announce that they started active operations in April on five buildings for banks alone in different sections. Authorities for the most part seem agreed that the chances for building material prices to take a drop are quite remote, whether hostilities continue for some time or whether peace should come within the near future. It is argued that the after-war demand on our industrial resources will be infinitely greater than they have been. France has just recently closed a contract involving 200,000,000 francs, most of which sum is to be spent in America for building materials to be used in the reconstruction of important buildings in cities in the vicinity of Verdun, the Argonne and the heights of the Meuse.

The danger of cessation of building activities does not lie so much in the impression that prices are too high as it does in an attempt to carry the economy idea to harmful lengths. Nothing could be more injurious than indiscriminate delaying of plans for building. This would create an industrial situation that would be far-reaching in its evil effects. Two years ago the prospective builder was urged to "build now" to secure the advantage of low prices and to give employment to idle labor. Today he is urged to "build now" so as to keep skilled labor employed, to keep the wheels of industrial activity going, and to take advantage of present prices, lest he be forced to pay even more if he delays.

ODD CONCRETE HOUSE

A summer house of concrete in a garden in one of the suburbs of Havana is built in imitation of a log and straw hut, and it is said that the illusion remains even after a close examination. To make the illusion more complete, in parts of the building, timber trunks the artist has imitated the work of the teredo worms, and some of the pillars appear to be bored by them.

Beacon-News want ads introduce you to buyers, sellers, tenants, landlords, employers, employees, etc.

LUNCH COTTAGE IS LATEST NOVELTY ON THE COAST

While the lunch wagon is a common sight in most cities, it remained for an ambitious chef in San Francisco to produce a cottage on wheels to serve a similar purpose. It is built in the bungalow style and is of rather artistic design. Its dimensions are generous, about 18x18 feet. When in use it is entered by a flight of portable steps at the front door, and it receives ample light from windows on all sides. It is even supplied with flower boxes at the two longer sides. The interior is fitted out with range and serving counters and seating accommodations for a dozen guests or more. It is mounted on a set of wagon wheels and is moved from one location to another by a horse.

ZINC BORATE PAINT IS NOW USED FOR SHINGLES

A small roof section covered with shingles painted with a zinc borate paint has recently been tested as to its fire-resistant properties at the Forest Products laboratory, Madison, Wis., after having been exposed to the weather for nearly three years. Other shingles freshly painted with the same paint were tested in comparison. The results show that the paint had resisted the action of the weather without losing its fire-retarding properties to any marked extent. A close examination of the exposed portion of the shingles showed that the paint was in first class condition. It was concluded, therefore, that a zinc borate paint has excellent lasting qualities, and that it retains its fire-retardant properties for at least three years.

HOUSES FOR EMPLOYEES

The Bethlehem Steel company has awarded contracts for the building of 100 homes at Petersburg, Cape May county, N. J., in which to house the families of the men it is to employ in a two-story plant to be built there.

Beacon-News want ads make realities out of wishes.

A roofing service that satisfies—it's yours when you cover your home with tar, gravel, composition or prepared roofing.

Frank Comfort Roofing Co.
540 So. Fourth St. Chicago Phone 2241

GOOD CONCRETE BLOCKS

are so called because of their ability to withstand heat, cold, water and weight. Our product is such. The best examples of what concrete blocks can do and what they have done in Aurora are due to the product manufactured by us. Will you let us prove it, and then let us supply you too?

Aurora Artificial Stone & Construction Co.
321 Kingsbury Avenue Chicago Phone 1352-11 Geo. Haag, Mgr. Res. Phone 1100-J

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Summer Hardware Man
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DOWEL PIN IS USEFUL IN CARPENTER SHOP

The dowel pin is one of the most useful accessories in the carpenter shop. It is strange to note how few seem to realize this. There are many things the carpenter is called upon to make which must be put together in the proper manner and glued, such as work-tables, bays, frames, screen doors made to order, etc. In dowseling work together it requires system in order to do it with a degree of speed, which is the all-important factor in these days of keen competition.

The dowel holes must exactly meet in the parts to be doweled, otherwise they will not go together.

PLAN 300 HOUSES

Three hundred houses, costing from \$2,000 to \$5,000 each, are planned for erection in Erie, Pa., by Baldwin Bros. The majority of the houses are intended to be modern bungalows and single family frame dwellings, altho a few two-family brick houses will be erected.

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USE WASTE HEMLOCK NOW IN PLACE OF OLD RAGS

A method for using waste hemlock tankard to partially replace expensive rag stock in the manufacture of felt roofing has been developed at the forest products laboratory, and is now being used commercially by operating mills, according to an announcement made by the forest service. It is stated that in these mills from 20 to 30 per cent of the rags being replaced by waste bark, and that the quality of the finished product is equal to that manufactured solely from rags.

The extent of the saving rendered possible by the new method is pointed out by the fact that the roofing mills of the United States have a total estimated annual production of 237,000 tons of finished roofing of all kinds, equal to about 11,390,000 "squares," a "square" of roofing being 100 square feet. The substitution of the waste bark in this industry, should, it is said, enable the mills to reduce their manufacturing costs appreciably.

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If your spark plugs foul.
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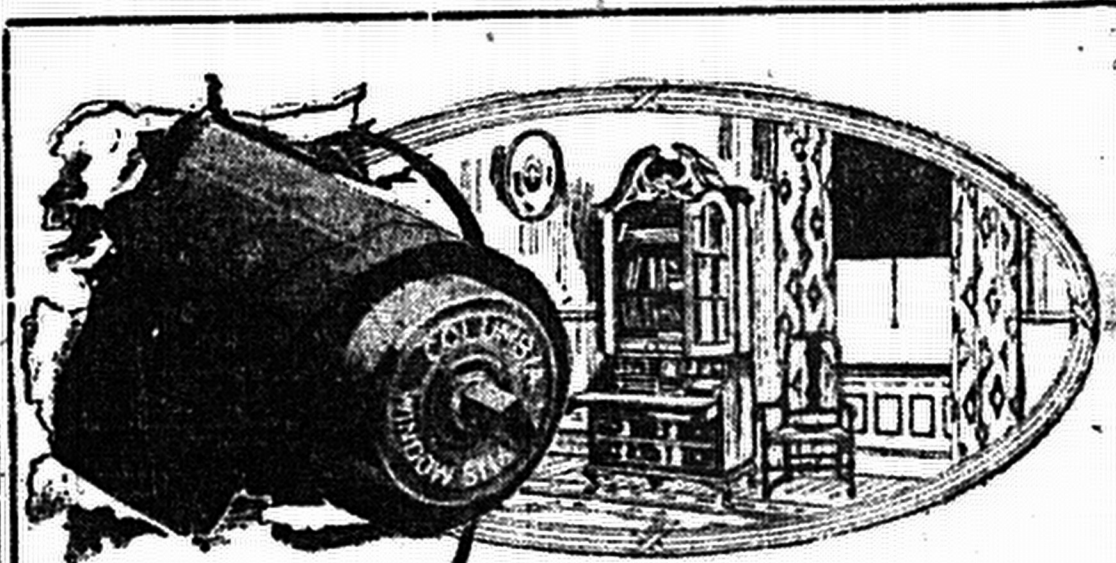
We are prepared to give you the services of experts in trimming trees and all sorts of surgery work.

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Do you realize the Beauty possibilities which our Landscape Artist can bring out in your Home grounds?

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Columbia WINDOW SHADES

YOU will find much to admire in the rich finish and pleasing colorings of Columbia Window Shades. And we urge that you see them here at the earliest opportunity. Note the wide range of colors. Note the firm and durable texture of the fabrics. Note the roller-ends enclosed from dust and rust—and the handsome, electro-nickel or copper plated fixtures. Also note the handy package with nickel plated brackets and the pull enclosed, slat in hem—all READY-TO-HANG.



Society

The personnel of attendance at the high school alumni meetings last evening—both East and West High—seems to prove the assertion made for a number of years by the older graduates that while there may be strength in numbers, there was more of the real old stick-together spirit in the days when the classes were smaller. When the classes numbered from 10 to 20 (back in the days when recreation in Aurora was largely by that which the young people manufactured for themselves) it was a bond of affection between members which to this very day calls back men and women who are living their successful lives thousands of miles away. A man who often attends affairs of national importance, does not return to the old high school because of the remarkable employment of the alumni meeting from the point of entertainment, but because with the meeting return memories which are priceless. The older boys and girls want to come. The younger boys and girls, members of classes which can scarcely be accommodated upon a commencement stage, return whenever "a good time" is promised, an unusual banquet or a pretentious dance. Said "Cully" McCollum last night, while talking with "Dexter" Knight and "Deacon" Shaker (Banty Watson and Banty Hawley were not there), said he: "We used to have sleigh rides, didn't we, we had to make our fun." At any rate, as said before, there is a strong bond of affection between members of the older classes and there is wonderful West High spirit which brings them back home.

J. U. W. Club Meets.
A meeting of the J. U. W. club was held yesterday with Mrs. Samuel Beals in Iowa avenue. There were cards, high scores being made by Mrs. Charles Farrell and Mrs. Alice Chambers.

A Country Outing.
A story which altho a little late, from a newspaper point of view, yet sounds attractive, is that concerning the outing of the young woman employees of the F. E. Royston & Co. office. The young women were members of a house party given by Miss Carolyn Klein at her home in Hincley from Saturday until Monday. There was supper Saturday evening, after which the guests "took in the town." Sunday morning was spent in "riding" with the hayr and taking pictures, so the story goes, with a delicious Sunday dinner and an automobile ride in the afternoon. Picnic supper was enjoyed and an automobile ride in the afternoon. Picnic supper was enjoyed at Griswold springs, everybody returning Monday morning. Those in the party were Edith Johnson, Ethel Stanley, Marguerite Raymond, Bessie Wormley, Josie Halls, Ellen Wiebke, Hazel Jones and Laura Kraeger.

Family Dinner.
Mr. and Mrs. W. H. S. Weston who yesterday celebrated their sixtieth wedding anniversary, were entertained last evening at a family dinner at the home of their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Merner. There was music during the evening. Each was given a purse of gold by the guests present.

Epworth League Social.
The Epworth league of the First Methodist church held a juvenile social in the church parlors Friday evening. The leaguers came in costumes of their girl and boyhood days, and games suitable to the occasion were indulged in. Refreshments were also in keeping with the character of the party, the animal cookies and all-day suckers furnishing much amusement.

REFORMATION LECTURE

Dr. St. Long of Mansfield, Ohio, spoke last evening at the English Lutheran church on "The Four Hundredth Anniversary of the Reformation."

Dr. Long said that while the reformation has meant much for Christianity, it has also meant much for the world. "It was thru the reformation that the public school system was established," he said.

The speaker referred at length to the work of Luther and Melancthon, his right-hand man.

Synods will be held in various cities from now on in observance of the four hundredth anniversary culminating with big celebrations on October 31.

A stereopticon lecture on the reformation will be given at the English Lutheran church here in two weeks and in September there will be conference meetings. In Chicago there will be a convention next week and the week following.

HONOR BATAVIA WOMAN

Mrs. Ella Benson of Batavia was elected secretary of the Oglethorpe district of Epworth leagues, in session this week at Oakburg.

Mrs. Edna Anderson of Aurora spoke at the convention on "Loyalty to Our Home Church."

Raymond Peterson of Geneva spoke on "Training the Young Life of the Church."

The Biggest Vacation Bargain on the Map

Here is great news for you who are planning your summer vacation. Glacier National Park, Yellowstone National Park (new Cody Road) and Rocky Mountain National Park, may be visited on one ticket, thanks to the generous J. N. National Park Tour which the Burlington Route now offers.

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You who wish them, will find city comforts in the National Parks or if you'd rather, you can rough it. Great fishing and golfing, too! See Denver, Colorado Springs, the Pike's Peak region and Rocky Mountain National Park where Long Peak stands silent sentinel. See Yellowstone National Park—motor over the new Cody Road—Buffalo Bill's old wonder trail. See Glacier National Park where the Rockies reach their greatest glory. See the Indians—meet them—know them.

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FIRST EAST HIGH GRADUATE PRESENT

Fiftieth Annual Alumni Reunion Last Night Marked by Unusually Interesting Feature.

Mrs. Jennie Weddell of Chicago of Class of 1907 Welcomes Class of 1917.

The meeting of the East High School Alumni association last evening in the high school gymnasium marked the fiftieth anniversary. Mrs. Jennie Weddell of Chicago, a member of the first graduating class, was an honored guest and gave the

address of welcome to the graduating class of 1917. William Klammer responded.

Everybody was interested in Mrs. Weddell, a quaint little old lady with white hair, who seemed to bring with her the atmosphere of the revered mothers of another generation.

"I am glad to welcome you to our ranks," she said to the graduating class. "We are sisters and brothers, we have one home, one school to love in common."

It was one of the largest and most enjoyable reunions of the alumni in years. Mrs. Doris Jacobs Kobelanz, the president, presided.

Officers Elected.
The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows:
President—Donald Downs.
Vice president—Sumner Ricker.
Secretary-treasurer—Etoile Flammang.

A short program followed. Two charming ballet dances were given

by some of the high school girls, under the direction of Miss Evelyn Talbot.

"The Nightingale" was danced by Gladys Keating, Evelyn Jungels, Edith Patterson, Henrietta Michaels and Marguerite Armbruster, and "The Maid of the Mist" was given by Helen Jungels, Lucille Modaff, Helen DeHart, Ruth Hoffman, Mildred Urich, Jean Stuart and Irene Dotterweich. Miss Gladys Battenbush played the accompaniments.

A whistling solo, "The Sirenade," by Schubert, was given by Miss Laura Kraeger; a piano solo, "Rondo Brillante," by Weber, was played by Miss Margaret Watson, and Miss Eva Barnat gave a reading, "The Gypsy."

Greetings were read from the West Aurora alumni meeting in the West High school, and responded to by telephone.

Frappe and wafers were served and dancing concluded the evening's entertainment. Collins' orchestra play-

ing.

NICOL-ANDERSON

Miss Gertrude A. Anderson and Harry A. Nicol were married this morning at the residence of the Rev. E. H. Montgomery. They were attended by the bride's sister, Miss Myrtle Anderson and Clifford Johnson. The ceremony was witnessed by the immediate relatives.

The bride wore a dark blue traveling suit with a white leghorn hat with pink roses.

Mr. and Mrs. Nicol have gone to Dayton, Ohio, to visit the bride's sister, and upon their return will reside at 429 South Lake street.

The groom is employed in the engineering department at the Stephens-Adams Manufacturing company. His bride has been employed by the Richards-Wilcox company.



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"The White Feather" is from the pens of the noted authors, Lechmere Worrall and J. E. Harold Terry. It has never before been published serially. It will be presented for the first time serially beginning in tomorrow's Chicago Sunday Tribune. In order to portray this exceptional story in all its vivid reality, special arrangements have been made to illustrate it with genuine photographs posed by living models. The illustration of "Molly" is shown in this advertisement.

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Don't miss "The White Feather" in tomorrow's Chicago Sunday Tribune! You'll find it in the enlarged, 16-page color section together with a number of other valuable and interesting features. Order your Chicago Sunday Tribune at once—today! Telephone your newsdealer and have your copy reserved. The supply of Chicago Sunday Tribunes is limited. Don't wait and be disappointed. Phone your newsdealer immediately.

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Blue, two ice boxes, 40 feet

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mowers, galvanized iron tubs and
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TOMATO PLANTS FOR SALE. A dozen for \$1.00. Forster Ave. - Call 850-9.

JUST RECEIVED A BIG LOT of slightly used carpets and rugs, a kind of furniture and stoves which are sold at the lowest prices. Cash paid for second hand furniture. Small lot West Side New York. Hand Furniture store, 13 South street.

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The campaign to enlist at this time 5,000 Aurora people in this patriotic and brotherly service must have the heartiest co-operation of all churches.

Our clergymen must appeal for memberships with the fervor of men whose experience and sensibilities enable them to measure well the meaning of human suffering.

Our church people living up to their faith must respond unanimously and enroll as Red Cross members.

Our young people's organizations must show their gift for doing things and enlist every active member of all their units.

Our Sunday Schools, where hundreds of thou-



THE SPIRIT OF THE RED CROSS
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sands of children and young people can be reached, must register their scholars down to their tiniest member.

Nothing must be left undone by any of us that is necessary to reach the conscience of our people.

This great humanitarian movement of our city must not be allowed to culminate without the manifest sign of sacrificial co-operation on the part of every church, friend and member in Aurora.

Make Red Cross movement notable in the Inter-Church Life of Aurora.

Let us come to church Sunday fully determined to have each member of our churches join the Red Cross.

Let it witness to a unity of purpose never before seen because never before called for by considerations so heroic, so pathetic, so patriotic!

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